

# UNITED STATES MARINES



GRADUATION CEREMONY  
MCRD PARRIS ISLAND, SC



# WELCOME TO MARINE CORPS RECRUIT DEPOT PARRIS ISLAND

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On behalf of the Commanding General, Marine Corps Recruit Depot and Eastern Recruiting Region, welcome to this morning's graduation ceremony. Today's graduates have earned the title "United States Marine" through hard work, perseverance, and personal sacrifice. While we recognize what they have accomplished, we must also recognize the role you played. Your support and encouragement sustained them, helping them realize their goal of becoming a Marine. Thank you, and welcome to our Marine Corps family!

You're undoubtedly aware that the Marine Corps and our country expect much of your Marine. They are now held to a higher standard; a standard rooted in our core values and embraced during their transformation from civilian to Marine. They have established a solid foundation that will allow them to face life's challenges with confidence, courage, and honor. They have been tested in recruit training and will face greater tests in the future.

This pamphlet provides a brief overview of our core values and the concept of transformation, and provides guidance useful during your new Marine's leave period and for reporting to their next assignment. Please review this information together. You will better understand what your Marine has done, and they will be better prepared for their next stage of training. If you have any questions your Marine cannot answer while home, please contact your local recruiter.

Thank you for entrusting us with your Marine. Together, we, the Marine Corps family, can keep our Marines focused on their mission and purpose. The result will be limitless potential for success in the Marine Corps and in life.

I hope you enjoy the remainder of your visit at Parris Island and will take time to tour our Recruit Depot with your Marine. Please accept my best wishes for a happy and safe return home for both you and your Marine.



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FINAL DISMISSAL

\*PLEASE RISE



*“Some people live their whole lives and wonder if they have made a difference. Marines don’t have that problem.”*

**President Ronald Reagan**

**UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS**  
**RECRUIT TRAINING REGIMENT**  
**MARINE CORPS RECRUIT DEPOT**  
**PARRIS ISLAND, SOUTH CAROLINA**

**17 November 2017**

**Recruit Training Regiment**

COMMANDING OFFICER ..... Colonel J. M. Barnett  
SERGEANT MAJOR ..... Sergeant Major P. T. Davis

**1st Recruit Training Battalion**

COMMANDING OFFICER ..... Lieutenant Colonel A. K. Burch  
SERGEANT MAJOR ..... Sergeant Major R. E. Ellis

**4th Recruit Training Battalion**

COMMANDING OFFICER ..... Lieutenant Colonel M. J. Posey  
SERGEANT MAJOR ..... Sergeant Major T. Smith-Leavy

**Commander of Troops**

Captain N. D. Peltier

**Parade Adjutant**

Captain T. L. Piekosz

**Company "A", 1st Recruit Training Battalion**

COMMANDING OFFICER ..... Captain N. D. Peltier  
COMPANY FIRST SERGEANT ..... First Sergeant L. S. Franklin  
LEAD SERIES COMMANDER ..... Captain B. S. Jaffry  
FOLLOW SERIES COMMANDER ..... Captain J. J. Hurton  
LEAD SERIES CHIEF DRILL INSTRUCTOR ..... Gunnery Sergeant F. Molina  
FOLLOW SERIES CHIEF DRILL INSTRUCTOR ..... Gunnery Sergeant M. Cottongim

**Company "P", 4th Recruit Training Battalion**

COMMANDING OFFICER ..... Captain T. L. Piekosz  
COMPANY FIRST SERGEANT ..... First Sergeant T. R. Sumpter  
SERIES COMMANDER ..... Captain A. M. Rivas  
CHIEF DRILL INSTRUCTOR ..... Staff Sergeant K. E. Curry

**Drill Masters**

Staff Sergeant M. T. Welborn  
Gunnery Sergeant A. M. Tyler

**Chaplain**

Lieutenant S. Han, USN  
Lieutenant N. K. Walker, USN

**Color Guard**

Sergeant K. U. Burney      Sergeant D. Loscano  
Sergeant J. M. Rodgers      Sergeant E. E. Medina

# PLATOON 1080

SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR .....GySgt J. B. Frantz  
 DRILL INSTRUCTOR .....GySgt D. Quinones  
 DRILL INSTRUCTOR .....Sgt L. F. Ocampo  
 DRILL INSTRUCTOR .....Sgt K. C. Greaves



PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE .....PFC C. G. Brock  
 HOMETOWN .....Cheraw, SC  
 RECRUITED BY .....SSgt Stephens

PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER .....PFC H. A. Gentle Jr. (329)  
 MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR .....Sgt Santiago

PLATOON HIGH COMBINED PFT/CFT .....PFC T. C. Fausti (597)

Pvt Anonuevo, R. J.	PFC Gammalo, V. M.	PFC Ponder, E. H.
Pvt Armstrong, J. B.	Pvt Garcia, J. C.	PFC Rached, J. N.
PFC Antoine, D. L.*	PFC Gentle Jr., H. A.*	Pvt Robertson, C. M.
Pvt Aspenwall, D. T.	PFC Gerth, J. D.	PFC Russell, K. C.
PFC Banks, Z. B.	PFC Grantham, C. S.	Pvt Saxon, B. H.
PFC Barquero, I. A.	PFC Greyhat III, C.	PFC Seifer, Z. P.
Pvt Biggs, R. B.	Pvt Hardy, D. I.	Pvt Small Jr., W. L.
PFC Blossom, C. M.	Pvt Hartelius, B. L.	PFC Spencer, C. L.
Pvt Bohannon, C. N.	PFC Hillian, J. R.	PFC Stoyle, J. J.
PFC Boria, C. J.	Pvt Horton, J. T.	Pvt Taylor, C. M.
PFC Brock, C. G.	PFC Johnson, D. F.	PFC Tilley, C. B.
Pvt Burdette, J. A.	Pvt King, N. M.	Pvt Tripp, C. R.
Pvt Campillo, M. Q.	Pvt Kirchaine Jr., A. J.	PFC Veracastillo, S. I.
Pvt Chance, N. B.	Pvt Kuriestevez, J. E.	PFC Visscher, A. M.
PFC Childs, M. A.	Pvt Lakosky, I. S.	PFC Watson, T. L.
PFC Cleveland, O. M.*	PFC Lam, J. D.	Pvt Westfall, K. A.
PFC Coffey, T. A.	PFC Logan, T. S.	PFC Wilbur, B. K.*
PFC Cole, C. J.	Pvt Maksad, S. N.	Pvt Yeomans, J. B.
Pvt Crawford, O. E.	PFC Marshall, A. C.	PFC Zeglin, J. S.
PFC Crews, H. L.	Pvt Martinezavala, A.	
PFC Cuica, D.	PFC Mathews, C. A.	
PFC Downs, D. J.	PFC Medina, D. I.	
PFC Duggins, A. T.	PFC Moore, M. K.	
PFC Escutiamartinez, P. A.	Pvt Moreno, R. T.	
PFC Faile, M. J.	PFC Murray, A. P.	
PFC Fausti, T. C.	PFC Nix, R. A.*	
Pvt Ferrer, A. R.	Pvt Patterson, J. M.	
Pvt Figueroalopez, K. G.	Pvt Pender, A. J.	
PFC Fisher, J. A.	Pvt Penny III, J. T.	

\*Denotes meritorious promotion to current rank.

# PLATOON 1081

SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt M. A. Bumbulsky  
 DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt R. J. Scsavnicki  
 DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt E. W. Pettus  
 DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt R. T. Richardson



COMPANY HONOR GRADUATE.....PFC J. W. Chuma  
 HOMETOWN.....Stratford, CT  
 RECRUITED BY.....Sgt Alliman

PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER.....Pvt K. T. Strickland (328)  
 MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR.....Cpl Hart

COMPANY HIGH COMBINED PFT/CFT.....PFC A. L. Tompkins (600)

Pvt Alder, M. S.	Pvt Jacobs, C. M.	PFC Sass, J. S.*
PFC Articulo, N. R.	Pvt Jernigan, M. R.	Pvt Schwartz, I. P.
Pvt Artrip, B. M.	PFC Jones, B. E.	PFC Seelinger, A. M.
PFC Bagbey, J. R.	Pvt Jones, S. F.	PFC Shepard, R. N.
Pvt Bell, D. T.	Pvt Kelsey, J. D.	Pvt Shifflette, J. D.
Pvt Black, L. K.	Pvt Kennedy, C. S.	PFC Sohn, J. D.
PFC Blankenship, M. J.	PFC Koontz, N. E.	PFC Sohn, J. G.*
Pvt Borst, J. J.	Pvt Krug, S. R.	PFC Stephens, J. D.
Pvt Calkins Jr., J. P.	Pvt Liu, H.	PFC Steward, J. C.
PFC Casullo, M. D.*	PFC Lyle, J. M.	PFC Stewart, W. L.
PFC Chuma, J. W.*	PFC Marck, Z. E.	Pvt Streit, M. W.
Pvt Crone, A. B.	Pvt Mcintyre, J. D.	Pvt Strickland, K. T.
Pvt Cuff, Z. Z.	Pvt Mendez, R.	Pvt Thumm, C. A.
PFC Dietz, J. M.	Pvt Milling Jr., B. P.	Pvt Todd, N. D.
Pvt Eaton, L. T.	Pvt Mitchell, J. S.	PFC Tolbert, T. J.
PFC Egburtson Jr., C. M.	PFC Moralesmendez, J. A.	PFC Tompkins, A. L.
Pvt Escobar, J. S.	PFC Mowery, E. R.	PFC Vonmaucher, A. J.
PFC Esparza, D. L.	PFC Nail, C. D.	Pvt Young, A. D.
PFC Gnageydavis, J. S.	Pvt Overton, J. R.	PFC Zamagolopez, M.
PFC Gonzalezmoradel, C. A.	PFC Peck Jr., S. J.*	
Pvt Grant, A. J.	Pvt Pelzer, R. R.	
Pvt Gray II, C. T.	Pvt Pettingill, R. C.	
Pvt Harrison, T. K.	Pvt Phillips, D. M.	
Pvt Henderson, B. D.	Pvt Poe, T. A.	
PFC Hermanson, J. W.	PFC Ransom, T. L.	
PFC Hickonbottom, D. D.	PFC Riley Jr., W. R.	
Pvt Hise, D. C.	PFC Riley, K. L.	
Pvt Hubalek, A. J.	Pvt Rocher, S. J.	
PFC Jacobs, C. A.	Pvt Sanchezsolis, I.	

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# PLATOON 1082

SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR .....SSgt T. L. Moore  
 DRILL INSTRUCTOR .....SSgt C. J. Harvey  
 DRILL INSTRUCTOR .....Sgt D. O. Cherry  
 DRILL INSTRUCTOR .....Sgt J. A. Jimenez



PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE .....PFC N. R. Schoonveld  
 HOMETOWN .....Hopkins, MI  
 RECRUITED BY .....SSgt Scott

PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER .....Pvt A. Gomez (328)  
 MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR .....Sgt Milano

PLATOON HIGH COMBINED PFT/CFT .....PFC A. B. Garnsey (600)

PFC Allen, C. R.	Pvt Hardy, J. M.	PFC Perian, C. L.
Pvt Alvarez, A.	Pvt Harper, M. D.	PFC Pierce, L. S.
PFC Arias, B. E.	PFC Harris, J. M.	Pvt Pierson, T. J.
PFC Atchley, D. S.	PFC Hazelton, N. J.	PFC Pietrzykowski, C. L.
Pvt Baker, E. D.	PFC Hudson, I. S.	Pvt Puente, C. J.
Pvt Barnes, T. T.	PFC Hudson, Z. W.	PFC Ramos, N. T.
PFC Beem, C. F.	PFC Hunt, M. J.*	PFC Rana, D.
Pvt Blackwell, A. G.	PFC Ibarra, H. S.	PFC Santosmelendez, E.
Pvt Bodinet, B. M.	PFC Jacobs, J. A.	Pvt Sarmientorojano, R.
Pvt Booe Jr., C. J.	Pvt Jefferson, D. L.	PFC Schoonveld, N. R.
Pvt Carnes, E. G.	Pvt Johnson, A. D.	PFC Serranogarcia, A.
Pvt Cole, C. S.	Pvt Johnson, R. A.	Pvt Sheehan, J. S.
PFC Collins, B. D.	Pvt Kaman, D. J.	Pvt Smithem, D. L.
Pvt Currin, S. A.	PFC Knaub, M. P.*	PFC Spillers, T. L.*
PFC Davis, J. R.	Pvt Kubik, C. M.	Pvt Stewart, J. D.
PFC Dawson, A. L.	Pvt Kyle, M. P.	PFC Takahashi, N. S.
PFC Diaz, E. C.	Pvt Lee, J. N.	Pvt Thompson, E. M.
PFC Dominguez, C. V.	Pvt Mayberry, A. J.	PFC Vandalen, M. D.
Pvt Dunaway, L. M.	PFC Mccarty, S. D.	PFC Vera, D.
Pvt Espinales, J. E.	Pvt Mccloskey, C. P.	PFC Vlier, B. A.
Pvt Estus, Z. B.	Pvt Mcdonald, A. A.	PFC Wahle, W. F.
Pvt Farmer, C. L.	Pvt Meeks, J. H.	Pvt Waller III, C. W.
Pvt Foster, B. A.	PFC Miller, J. T.	Pvt Weddle, J. D.
PFC Fuentespiris, E.*	PFC Mullins, J. H.	Pvt Wileman, S. A.
PFC Garnsey, A. B.*	Pvt Obois, H. E.	Pvt Wright, J. D.
PFC George, T. B.	Pvt Paneca, A. A.	Pvt Yowan, N. P.
Pvt Gomez, A.	Pvt Pardo, E. A.	Pvt Zbysheski, R. J.
Pvt Gomezmarquez, M. A.	Pvt Pena, D. D.	PFC Zulewski Jr., J. A.
Pvt Handrich, N. J.	Pvt Perez, M. A.	

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# PLATOON 1084

SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....GySgt B. A. Bruyere  
 DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt A. McHalek  
 DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt J. R. Solomon  
 DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt M. L. Davis



PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE.....PFC G. C. Weldon  
 HOMETOWN.....Henderson, KY  
 RECRUITED BY.....Sgt Wright

PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER.....PFC N. J. Leigh (322)  
 MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt Tackett

PLATOON HIGH COMBINED PFT/CFT.....PFC J. C. Kremer (585)

PFC Arsenault, A. J.  
 PFC Battle, R. D.  
 PFC Bohannon, J. R.  
 PFC Boles, B. L.  
 Pvt Booty, C. J.  
 Pvt Botelho, W. F.  
 PFC Brosnan, D. S.\*  
 Pvt Burrell, M. B.  
 PFC Butler, M. A.  
 PFC Chism, J. J.  
 PFC Cloutatre, A. J.  
 PFC Colonjimenez, L.  
 Pvt Colonmorales, M. A.  
 Pvt Cormier, S. L.  
 Pvt Cuevasnieto, M. A.  
 PFC Davis, S. K.  
 Pvt Depaula, S. V.  
 PFC Diazadorno, K. J.  
 Pvt Echols, Z. B.  
 PFC Flores, B. T.  
 PFC Fox, C. T.  
 Pvt Gaffney, Z. M.  
 Pvt Gagliano, S. M.  
 PFC Gandiatorres, G.  
 Pvt Gintner, B. T.  
 Pvt Goff, M. N.  
 PFC Griffith, C. M.  
 PFC Grohowski, K. E.  
 Pvt Gugliotti, N. A.

PFC Hall, S. C.  
 Pvt Harold, J. M.  
 Pvt Henderson, J. R.  
 Pvt Hitt, W. J.  
 Pvt Hrono, J. M.  
 PFC Hughes, A. K.  
 Pvt Hull Jr., K. D.  
 Pvt Jones, A. S.  
 PFC Keene, C. S.  
 PFC Kieliszak, J. R.  
 PFC Kremer, J. C.\*  
 Pvt Krummen, C. A.  
 PFC Leigh, N. J.  
 Pvt Lynk Jr., L. C.  
 Pvt Macdonald, A. W.  
 PFC Markey, T. I.  
 PFC Mccullough, B. G.\*  
 PFC Miks, R. K.  
 PFC Miller, B. D.  
 Pvt Miller, J. M.  
 Pvt Mitchell, D. H.  
 Pvt Moore, S. D.  
 Pvt Myles, E. M.  
 Pvt Natividadgarcia, F. A.  
 Pvt Nihan, H. B.  
 Pvt Paganrodriguez, I. G.  
 PFC Pegg, J. D.  
 PFC Pham, T. H.  
 PFC Rivera, V. M.

Pvt Riveraruiiz, G. J.  
 PFC Robinson, A. L.\*  
 PFC Rodriguezsantiago, J.  
 PFC Sammons, N. S.  
 Pvt Santorelli, O. G.  
 Pvt Shaia, J. I.  
 Pvt Simpson, M. S.  
 Pvt Skidmore, J. J.  
 Pvt Snyder, C. J.  
 Pvt Snyder, T. J.  
 PFC Stratton, Z. A.  
 PFC Strong III, O. L.\*  
 PFC Suter, J. D.  
 Pvt Thomas, A. D.  
 Pvt Vaughn, D. R.  
 Pvt Walker, C.  
 PFC Weldon, G. C.  
 Pvt Wink, A. D.  
 PFC Zehring, D. J.

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# PLATOON 1085

SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR .....	SSgt J. T. Toteno
DRILL INSTRUCTOR .....	SSgt C. C. Arrick
DRILL INSTRUCTOR .....	SSgt G. A. Miles
DRILL INSTRUCTOR .....	Sgt C. L. Agular




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PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE .....	PFC N. P. Black
HOMETOWN .....	Penargyl, P.A
RECRUITED BY .....	Sgt Kuhn

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PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER .....	Pvt J. V. Lariccia (330)
MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR .....	Sgt Bentley

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PLATOON HIGH COMBINED PFT/CFT .....	PFC G. L. Schrolucke (584)
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Pvt Alazausmcbride, T. Z.	Pvt Flores, B. W.	Pvt Odea, B. P.
Pvt Alicea, J. J.	PFC Forest, J. M.	PFC Pecore, M. S.*
PFC Allen, R. D.	PFC Frayser, J. D.	Pvt Perez, G.
PFC Anthony, B. P.	Pvt Geist, B. C.	Pvt Peterson, C. S.
PFC Audet, V. C.*	Pvt Goff, N. D.	Pvt Pitts, T. E.
Pvt Bashnett, A. A.	Pvt Hayes, D. Z.	PFC Rice, S. M.
Pvt Bean, T. L.	PFC Heimbach, P. A.	Pvt Riffel, S. J.
Pvt Bendall, H. W.	Pvt Hibshman, Z. T.	Pvt Rivera, C. J.
PFC Black, N. P.*	Pvt Hoffman, N. E.	PFC Roff, A. J.
Pvt Blackburn, C. V.	Pvt Hollowak IV, S. A.	Pvt Roth, D. T.
PFC Boutote II, P. H.	Pvt Hoyle, R. J.	Pvt Rusch, Z. A.
Pvt Broomatkins, R. D.	Pvt Johnson, M. M.	PFC Schrolucke, G. L.*
Pvt Caldwell, B. D.	Pvt Kaucky, F. T.	Pvt Serva, J. A.
Pvt Camacho, A. J.	PFC Keyser, L. M.	PFC Smith, P. J.
Pvt Carcamo, E. A.	Pvt Lariccia, J. V.	PFC Souleydounda, A. W.
PFC Carpenter, R. D.*	PFC Lister Jr., T. B.	Pvt Stutler, J. J.
Pvt Carroll, R. B.	Pvt Magsino, J. L.	PFC Teitelbaum, D. J.
PFC Coehins Jr., Lydell	Pvt Malin, M. A.	Pvt Thompson, O. J.
Pvt Cole, L. A.	PFC Manigault, A. J.*	Pvt Tomajko, J. S.
PFC Compton, K. R.	Pvt Martinez, M. B.	Pvt Trudeau, M. J.
Pvt Dana, M. A.	Pvt Mcallister, T. K.	PFC Uslick, E. J.
PFC Davidson, M. B.*	Pvt Mcmillion, A. P.	Pvt Vaughn, S. B.
Pvt Denver, J. C.	Pvt Mcneely, J. R.	Pvt Velazquezrivera, J. D.
Pvt Deveaux Jr., D. A.	PFC Merinoromano, A.	PFC Walker, K. E.
Pvt Donaldson Jr., R. C.	Pvt Mervin, J. L.	Pvt Welch, N. H.
Pvt Elder, J. M.	Pvt Mitchell, E. P.	
PFC Estrada, K. R.	PFC Mumma, D. J.	
Pvt Faucher, B.A.	Pvt Navratil, A. C.	
Pvt Fennell Jr., T. J.	PFC Normandin, J. N.	

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# PLATOON 1086

SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt A. Velasco Jr.  
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt J. E. Miller  
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt Cody J. Waldo  
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt D. A. Aguayo



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PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE.....PFC S. W. Defillippo  
HOMETOWN.....Melbourne Beach, FL  
RECRUITED BY.....Sgt Oregon

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COMPANY HIGH SHOOTER.....PFC A. Cuba (334)  
MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR.....Cpl Rawls

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PLATOON HIGH COMBINED PFT/CFT.....PFC M. Cenci (597)

Pvt Bainbridge, R. L.	Pvt Johnson, C. P.
PFC Barbato, J. K.	Pvt Johnson, T. M.
Pvt Berg, C. P.	PFC Keener, C. D.
Pvt Boyle, J. D.	PFC Kelly, B. J.
Pvt Brickey, S. M.	PFC Kerr, B. R.
PFC Burns, C. M.	Pvt Kimani, J. D.
Pvt Cabrales, D. S.	PFC Ladd, D. H.
Pvt Castellanos, R. A.	Pvt Lavoie, B. W.
PFC Cenci, M. J.*	Pvt Ledbetter III, F. D.
Pvt Cole, D. L.	Pvt Ledford, J. W.
Pvt Collins, L. J.	Pvt Lesta, J. C.
Pvt Concina, V. R.	PFC Lopez Jr., E.
PFC Conroy, I. Q.	Pvt Lopezguillen, M. J.
PFC Cuba, A.	Pvt Maurais, C. J.
PFC Defillippo, S. W.	Pvt Mccall, M. B.
PFC Delcher, M. A.	Pvt Melendez, E.
Pvt Derkacs Jr., W. M.	Pvt Miranda, J. N.
PFC Dmochowski, J. J.	PFC Molina, D. R.
Pvt Dykes, A. J.	PFC Moore, B. A.
Pvt Fallon, J. W.	Pvt Moyer Jr., S. L.
Pvt Fernandez, E. F.	PFC Murillopineda, M. A.
Pvt Fernandeznunez, R. A.	PFC Murphy, A. J.
PFC Fiorelli, N. V.	Pvt Naclerio, P. J.
Pvt Flanders, R. S.	Pvt Neff, N. M.
Pvt Fontenot, D. S.	Pvt Padilla, N. M.
PFC Garrido, M. A.	Pvt Phang, Y.
Pvt Gerber, J. T.	Pvt Pinero, J. J.
Pvt Guevara, C.	PFC Pujols, L. A.
Pvt Guevaraflores, N. J.	Pvt Remphrey, J. J.

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# PLATOON 4044

SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR .....SSgt Y. R. Cousins  
DRILL INSTRUCTOR .....SSgt T. Espinosa Simons  
DRILL INSTRUCTOR .....SSgt S. R. Connolly  
DRILL INSTRUCTOR .....Sgt Y. R. Chapin



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COMPANY HONOR GRADUATE .....PFC S. K. Renowden  
HOMETOWN .....Downers Grove, IL  
RECRUITED BY .....SSgt Lopez

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COMPANY HIGH SHOOTER.....PFC S. I. Garcia (318)  
MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR .....Sgt Hunt

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PLATOON HIGH COMBINED PFT/CFT.....PFC G. L. Roop (600)

Pvt Abdinor, P. M.	Pvt Laufenberg, R. M.
PFC Arana, K. J.	Pvt Leary, C. J.
Pvt Bates, M. A.	Pvt Lewis, R. L.
PFC Bozaorth, S. L.	PFC Lyon, A. M.
Pvt Brooksbarraza, D. N.	Pvt Martinez, T. K.
Pvt Brown, Cailen	PFC Mcgee, S. E.
PFC Carajalarias, A. L.	PFC Medinamartinez, M. J.
Pvt Castrejon, S. K.	PFC Mendoza, P. M.
PFC Cervantes, L. F.	Pvt Moore, S. L.
Pvt Chavez, D. R.	Pvt Morrow, J. M.
Pvt Corbit, K. M.	Pvt Moser, A. V.
PFC Dalton, A. C.	Pvt Norton, L. A.
Pvt Daniels, K. R.	Pvt Oquendo, A. M.
Pvt Delarosa, C. D.	Pvt Paliacios, J. O.
PFC Delgado, K. L.	Pvt Phillips, J. M.
PFC Douglas, M. L.*	PFC Pompeo, A. M.
PFC Drummey, B. A.	PFC Renowden, S. K.
PFC Elliot, A. M.	Pvt Rhyne, C. O.
PFC Elmer, M. R.*	PFC Roop, G. L.
PFC Fisher, K.	Pvt Rossi, M. E.
Pvt Garcia, S. I.	Pvt Sadosky, S. C.
PFC Gonzalez, M. R.	Pvt Shamoon, A. S.
PFC Hernandez, Y. A.*	PFC Smith, B. M.
Pvt Hughes, S. L.	PFC Tamayo, M. T.
PFC Inabinet, L. E.	PFC Tilus, M. F.
PFC Juan, Y.	PFC Valdezeztrade, A.*
PFC Kranenberg, C. E.	PFC Voorhees, M. L.
PFC Lackey, L. M.	Pvt Wills, D. B.
Pvt Langley, L. E.	Pfc Yother, A. L.

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SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt B. A. Mosley  
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt K. R. Daniels  
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt K. F. MartinezLopez  
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt K. E. Kilroy



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PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE.....PFC R. R. White  
HOMETOWN.....Las Vegas, NV  
RECRUITED BY.....Sgt Martinez

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PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER.....PFC H. Nitselly (331)  
MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt Lysen

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COMPANY HIGH COMBINED PFT/CFT.....PFC A. L. Schindler (600)

PFC Adame, C. M.*	Pvt Lira, L. A.
PFC Alvarez, K. V.	Pvt Lopezorozco
Pvt Andreasen, S. J.	Pvt Mahieu, N. J.
Pvt Arcosperez, M. I.	Pvt Manzocortez, J. S.
Pvt Baker, B. L.	PFC Martinez, I. F.
Pvt Bartolomeo, M. A.	PFC Mchaffie, W. A.
Pvt Belaski, D. A.	Pvt Melendez, H. R.
Pvt Benjamin, J. A.	PFC Montes, J. V.
Pvt Brown, T. J.	PFC Nitselly H.
Pvt Bryant, C. E.	Pvt Pachecano, P. C.
PFC Chapin, D.	Pvt Paneda, S.
PFC Davis, G. M.	Pvt Pergl, N. L.
Pvt Davis, M. J.	Pvt Reeves, J. L.
PFC Dempsey, D. M.	Pvt Rodriguezdiaz, D. G.
Pvt Felizdabney, R. M.	Pvt Rosalesvalenzuela N.
PFC Fisher, K. I.	Pvt Samuel, K. R.
Pvt Fortune, C. C.	Pvt Schassen, K. A.
Pvt Gonzalezmunoz, L. J.	PFC Schindler, A. L.*
PFC Greene, L. T.	Pvt Sillers, S. L.
PFC Grier, A. A.	Pvt Smith, K. A.
Pvt Gutierrez, J. A.	PFC Spivey, K. I.
Pvt Guzman, B. J.	Pvt Staples, B. N.
PFC Henriquezbelliard, N.	PFC Strawska, P. M.
PFC Hostetter, E. M.	Pvt Sullivan, A. A.
Pvt Hunt, S. N.	Pvt Taylor, B. S.
Pvt Juares, J. M.	Pvt Tunstall, T. T.
Pvt Kaset, M.	PFC Veth, P. V.
PFC Kelly, C. L.	Pvt Villamartinez, A. L.
Pvt Kim, C. G.	Pvt Violet, S. R.

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# TRANSFORMATION

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The Marine Corps makes Marines and wins battles. We consider these two activities to be inextricably linked, and believe the individual Marine decides the outcome of any conflict or military action despite constant advances in battlefield technology.

Today, Marines are committed across the globe to operations as diverse as guarding American diplomatic missions, providing disaster relief, and conducting combat operations. Thousands more remain forward deployed, ready to secure our nations' interest on short notice.

Operating successfully in such diverse and complex operating environments is challenging, but these challenges are not new. Marines have faced, and overcome, similar challenges throughout history. To ensure our future success, we looked to the Marines of the past to see what made them successful in battles like Belleau Wood, Iwo Jima, the Chosin Reservoir, Hue City, and Fallujah. We found that strong character and a fighting spirit rooted in core values were essential to our past success. Developing strength of character and instilling these core values is the essence of what we call “transformation.”



## *THE TRANSFORMATION LIFECYCLE*



The transformation process begins with recruiting, where we select young men and women of demonstrated potential and commitment and prepare them for recruit training.

Transformation accelerates during boot camp, where Drill Instructors remain the key to making Marines. Drill Instructors transform recruits into basic Marines through intense, demanding training including close order



drill, physical fitness, academics, combat water survival, close combat, and marksmanship. They instruct, mentor and lead recruits, exemplifying Core Values in all they do. Their efforts culminate during the 11th week of training in the Crucible, a grueling 54-hour evaluation of physical, mental, and moral fitness emphasizing selflessness and teamwork.

Transformation is sustained and reinforced throughout each Marine's period of service while assigned to operating units, where teamwork and commitment are essential to success. Regular training and individual mentorship support the continued development of each Marine. Additionally, required formal courses of Professional Military Education emphasize further development of character and core values.



Ultimately, we seek to return transformed Americans home to strengthen our society at the completion of their service. The Corps is known for making Marines who leave active duty to become strong leaders in the community. These Marines demonstrate the lasting value of strength of character based on our core values.



## **U.S. MARINE CORPS CORE VALUES**

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Generations of American men and women have given special meaning to the term United States Marine by their performance on and off the battlefield. Feared by enemies, respected by allies, and loved by the American people, Marines are a “special breed.” This reputation was gained and is maintained by adhering to a set of enduring core values, the guiding beliefs and principles that give us strength, influence our attitudes, and regulate our behavior. Our Core Values are:

### ***HONOR***

The quality that guides Marines to exemplify the ultimate in ethical and moral behavior; to never lie, cheat, or steal; to abide by an uncompromising code of integrity; to respect human dignity; to have respect and concern for each other. The quality of maturity, dedication, trust, and dependability that commits Marines to act responsibly; to fulfill obligations; to be accountable for actions and to hold others accountable for their actions.

### ***COURAGE***

Courage is the mental, moral, and physical strength ingrained in Marines to carry them through the challenges of combat and the mastery of fear; to do what is right; to adhere to a higher standard of personal conduct; to lead by example, and to make tough decisions under stress and pressure.

### ***COMMITMENT***

The spirit of determination that leads to professionalism and mastery of the art of war. It leads to the highest order of discipline for unit and self; enabling 24-hour-a-day dedication to Corps and Country; pride; concern for others; and an unrelenting determination to achieve a standard of excellence in every endeavor. Commitment is the value that establishes the Marine as the warrior and citizen others strive to emulate.

## **GUIDANCE FOR NEW MARINES**

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As one of our Corps' newest Marines, you will normally travel to your home of record for 10 days of well earned "boot leave" prior to reporting for follow-on training at the School of Infantry. While home on leave, take the time to rest and re-connect with your Marine family and friends. Stay true to our core values of honor, courage, and commitment. Maintain your physical fitness, and remain safe in day-to-day activities. Use this time to rest, reflect upon the commitment you have made to our Corps and nation, and prepare for your next phase of training. I encourage you to contact your recruiter and assist them in selecting qualified candidates for enlistment.

### ***YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES***

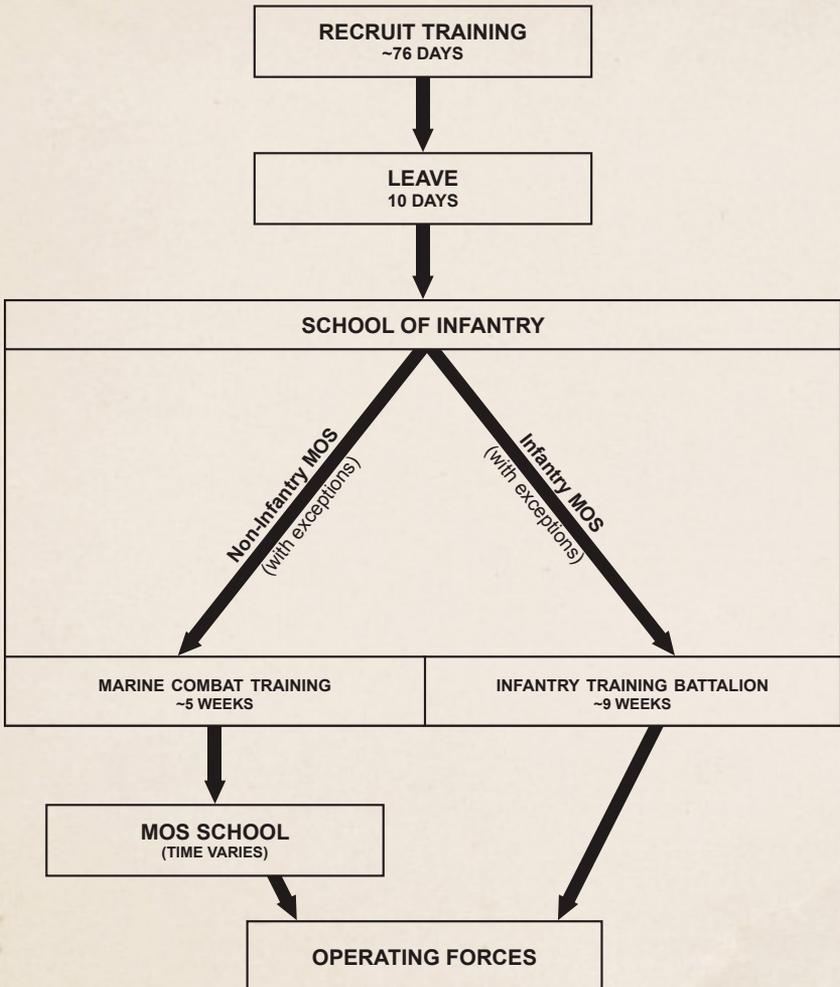
As a basic Marine, imbued with our Core Values, you now represent our Corps. You are expected to exemplify personal character, selflessness, and military virtue. Ensure you stay mentally, morally, and physically prepared to embark on your next challenge of becoming a basic rifleman. Conduct yourself in accordance with the high standards to which you have been held. Demonstrate to everyone your transformation into a proud, disciplined Marine. Many of your friends and acquaintances will not understand your commitment, and you may need to make tough decisions as a result. Have courage. Remember, you now represent the Marine Corps to your family, friends, hometown, and our nation.

### ***MY EXPECTATIONS***

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# ENTRY-LEVEL TRAINING OVERVIEW

The chart below outlines the basic entry level training progression for new Marines, from recruit training, through the School of Infantry, and on to the Operating Forces. Most Marines assigned non-infantry Military Occupational Specialties (MOS) will complete Marine Combat Training while at the School of Infantry, followed by their MOS school. Some assigned non-infantry MOSs will attend Infantry Training Battalion in lieu of Marine Combat Training, followed by their MOS school. Those assigned infantry MOSs will attend Infantry Training Battalion.



## **MERITORIOUS PROMOTIONS**

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Marines are eligible to earn meritorious promotions to the next higher rank by referring qualified applicants for enlistment to their recruiter.

- A private needs only one referral for promotion to private first class. In addition to increased authority and responsibility, this promotion will increase the Marine's pay more than \$150 per month.
- A private first class requires only two referrals for promotion to lance corporal. This promotion will increase the Marine's pay by over \$75 per month and will provide the Marine an even greater opportunity to demonstrate his or her leadership and professionalism.

## **SCHOOL OF INFANTRY REPORTING INSTRUCTIONS**

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- Report to the Commanding Officer, School of Infantry-East. The uniform for reporting to the School of Infantry-East is the Service "A" uniform.
- Pack two full sets of utilities (one green digital and one desert digital), boots and hygiene kit in your carry-on bag.
- Carry your ID card, ID tags, orders, SRB and medical/dental records in your carry-on bag.
- Bring all Marine Corps issued clothing and equipment.
- Wear appropriate civilian attire while traveling between your leave address and the School of Infantry-East.
- If you need immediate assistance while you are on leave, contact your recruiter.
- The contact information for the School of Infantry-East at Camp Geiger, North Carolina is Student Administration at (910) 449-0441/0442/0443. During non-working hours (1700-0700 Monday-Friday, weekends, and holidays), call the Officer of the Day at (910) 449-0179.
- The School of Infantry-East website contains additional information. The address is <http://www.tecom.marines.mil/soieast/unithome.aspx>



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